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compelled to follow suit or lose business. These fast trains and low rates of fare are bound to become popular, and, as the fashion once set, the rival companies will be loth to go back to the slow trains. The eastern extension of the Baltimore and Ohio will be finished soon, and in the course of a few months Washington will enjoy the benefit of cheaper rates to New York and New England. The Baltimore and Ohio and Pennsylvania have splendid lines, and their profits cheaper and faster than they have been done.

**BOURBON VENOMOUS.**

The murderous array at New Iberia, La., affords pretty good evidence that the republican majority in that state has begun to forget its part in the sweep which the ruling bourbon minority pleasantly calls an election. The inconveniences to a minority attending the subjugation of a majority by murder and fraud lie in the fact that the subjugating process must be kept up. If the minority grows careless in the easy enjoyment of control and possession, the unwieldy and foolish majority is apt to raise its head, forget the chastisement of the past, and try to regain its old place at the head of the procession. There are not lacking signs that, encouraged by the comparative peace of the last four or five years in Louisiana, the republicans are confident of the election of Blaine and Logan, and the democrats are hopeful of the election of Cleveland and Hendricks. There will be an unprecedented heavy vote in the close states, but the weight of numbers is believed to be with the republicans.

The hour for appeals to voters is past. The men who will cast the ballots have made up their minds, and nothing will move them. It only remains to register the votes and announce the results. In twenty-four hours we shall know all about it.

**GROVER CLEVELAND is a gone coon.**

We think ex-Mayor Gracy, who is again running for mayor of New York, is beaten. He has the hearty support of the New York Times.

We think Mr. Blaine is beaten.—New York World.

We will bet you two to one, and leave it to you, that you don't think anything of the kind.

ONE YEAR from to-day nine hundred and ninety-nine democrats in every thousand will remember as little of their present candidate for president as they knew of him one year ago.

The stoning of Stephen some centuries ago will be nothing compared to the stoning the patriotic people of the United States will give Stephen Grover Cleveland to-day.

We congratulate the country in advance upon the magnificent victory of to-day's battle at the polls. For full particulars see the double sheet REPUBLICAN and extras to-morrow morning.

It is sincerely hoped that Mr. Beecher will not neglect to vote to-day, otherwise his political influence will be utterly lost.

Ditto Mr. George William Curtis.

Ditto Carl Schurz.

Ditto J. W. Harper, Jr.

Ditto George Jones.

Ditto Horace White.

It is a most noteworthy fact that after a long and active campaign, in which he has taken a most conspicuous part, writing or speaking almost constantly, and dealing always with the issues at stake, that ONLY ONE WORD has been uttered which Mr. Blaine's opponents could take up and turn into a campaign cry against him, and that word was uttered by another man. Mr. Blaine's campaign challenges the administration of the world.

With the acquittal of "Jones, the avenger," yesterday, the name of Charles J. Guiteau disappears forever in any official connection. Had his trial taken place three years ago, standing room would have been at a high premium in our local temple of justice, but it is significant of the influence of time in obliterating keen feeling that his trial failed to arouse the slightest degree of public attention. Jones and Cleveland alike will soon be utterly forgotten.

In North Carolina the scared bourbon have tried to create a diversion in their favor by spreading a report that the republicans mean to sacrifice Mr. York by selling him out to secure votes for Blaine. It is not likely that the ruse will succeed. Dr. York's friends are too suspicious not to perceive that the source from which the report emanates affords a certain indication that the democrats believe that his election is already assured unless by some such despicable falsehoods they can break the ranks of the conditionists.

HEREAFTER there will be no appeal from the commissioner of patents to the secretary of the interior in patent cases passed upon by the commissioner. That point was settled yesterday by the supreme court of the United States in a case appealed from the supreme court of the district. The court holds that the commissioner of patents has the exclusive right to decide for himself whether or not a patent ought to issue, and that the secretary has no authority to review such finding. Appeals will be taken from the commissioners to the courts direct in the future, instead of through the head of the department. This decision will take an immense load of responsibility and no end of labor from the secretary of the interior, and it will at the same time quicken work in important interference cases. The secretary, the poor inventors, and attorneys practicing before the patent office should bless the supreme court.

Check Rates and Quick Time.

The war between the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore and Ohio railroad companies differs from most railroad wars, inasmuch as it promises to result in real benefit to the public and no serious or permanent damage to the companies concerned. Usually the wrangling companies cut and slash roads beyond all reason. The public reaps a temporary advantage on account of cheap rates, but the stockholders upon whom the loss falls reimburse themselves by money wasted by cutting down the wages of their employees and otherwise cheapening the service for which the public pays. In the war now in progress both companies are amply able to stand the racket.

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The Mahon and Deardorff factions of the republican party of Virginia are pulling together to-day, and they ought to outvote the bourbon minority in the

Old Dominion. Virginia is a republican state, and it should take its place in the republican line. North Carolina, too, is a republican state, and it should add its electoral votes to the Blaine and Logan column.

To-morrow is the day when honest labor, decent morals, religion, manliness, and respect for womanhood can assert themselves by defeating Grover Cleveland! He is not fit to be president of the United States. Keep him out of the white house.—New York Sun.

The above is a shot in the center of the bull's-eye of a great truth, and is commendable to our readers as something approaching the perfection of good political gospel.

VIRGINIA, North Carolina, and Florida have it in their power to make the Blaine and Logan electoral vote 275 and the democratic vote 125.

THE ASSASSINATION OF REPUBLICANS IN THE SOUTH THREATENS TO LOSE ITS POPULARITY.

PENNSYLVANIA EXPECTS TO CARRY OFF THE BIG MAJORITY BELT-TO-DAY.

SOMEBODY IS GOING TO GET BEAUTIFULLY LOST-TO-DAY.

**AMUSEMENTS****ROMANCE.**

"Quesena," as presented at Ford's last evening, may be characterized as a fairy successful drama of the modern style, full of situation and pathos, and held the attention of a fair house closely to the end. As Queenie Monrose, Miss Rosemary, has developed a taste for the art of the operatic scene, a desire of historic ability in the more trying situations that agreeably disappointed the audience. In the earlier action of the play the whole cast appeared to lack in enthusiasm, and it was not until the third act that there was developed a dramatic earnestness that brought out the true meaning of the story. Little Katie Patterson was the feature of the evening, and in the role of Little Quesena carried away the hearts of the audience by her charming simplicity and clever acting.

"Quesena" will be continued through the week, with the usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

Robert Buchanan's lurid sensational "Storm Beaten" was greeted last evening with a fairly good house that was evidently prepared to give this romantic production a kind reception.

The play itself can hardly be said to have a plot, and the best bits of dialogue that appear in it are confined to the elaborate efforts of the stage machinists and the comic actors can be dignified by that appellation.

Icier, auroras, and quiet village churches are thrust to the front with a degree of recklessness that sever all connection between the incidents, and at the end the spectator is left to wonder what it all means.

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FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH BOARD.